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REFLECTIVE OPTICAL ELEMENTS, EUV-LITHOGRAPHY APPARATUSES
AND METHODS FOR OPERATING OPTICAL ELEMENTS AND EUV-
LITHOGRAPHY APPARATUSES, METHODS FOR DETERMINING THE
PHASE SHIFT, METHODS FOR DETERMINING THE LAYER THICKNESS,
AND APPARATUSES FOR CARRYING OUT THE METHODS

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